## SENATE BILL 1395

## By Watson

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 65, relative to utilities regulated by the Tennessee regulatory authority.

## BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 65-5-101(d), is amended by adding the following language at the end of the subsection:

A utility described in this subsection (d) shall not initiate a rate proceeding more than once every six (6) years.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 65-4-117(a)(2), is amended by adding the following language at the end of the subdivision:

Such books, documents or records in regard to a privately owned public utility that supplies water to municipal governments shall be considered a public record and shall be open for inspection;

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.